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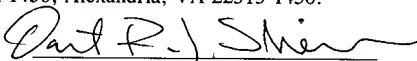
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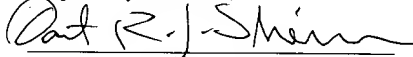
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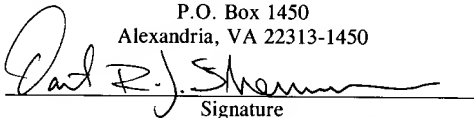
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3,257,882	Lulie et al.	06-28-1966

3,587,374	Stewart et al.	06-28-1971
3,651,723	Gallagher, Jr. et al.	03-28-1972
3,961,547	Shainberg et al.	06-08-1976
4,516,454	Mosburger	05-14-1985
4,548,105	Koutonen	10-22-1985
5,363,730	Besemann	11-15-1994
6,286,404	Miglietta	09-11-2001

Foreign Patent Documents

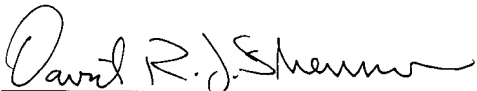
<u>Country</u>	<u>Foreign Patent No.</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
FI	68185	Oy Wärtsilä Ab	04-30-85
DE	42 24 010	E.C.H. Will GmbH	02-04-93
EP	0 894 583	Fosber S.p.A.	07-23-98
WO	97/35696	Maschinenfabrik Goebel GmbH	10-02-97

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EP 0894 583 is not a reference because it has a publication date of February 3, 1999 and the current application has a priority date of January 22, 1999. The other documents (see for example 3,587,375) are of interest in showing one set of blades being positioned while another set is cutting a web.

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